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EDUCATION

B.A., English, PURDUE UNIVERSITY, 1977

DEPAUL GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Courses completed include Economics, Finance, Accounting, Industrial Psychology,
Business Law, Calculus, Marketing and Business Case Analysis.

PRESENT POSITION

LECG Inc., Evanston, IL, 1998 - present
Principal, 1999 - present
Senior Managing Consultant, 1998 - 1999

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

AMERITECH SERVICES, 1991 - 1998

Director, Business Unit Support/Economic Analysis, 1997 - 1998

- Responsible for achieving the regulatory objectives of Ameritech's Wholesale Business Units as well as the Payphone and Publishing Business Units.
- Responsible for identifying and addressing industry economic issues in all Ameritech regulatory proceedings involving cost models and studies.

Director, Wholesale Sector Advocate/Economic Analysis, 1994 - 1997

- Responsible for achieving the regulatory objectives of Ameritech's Wholesale Business Units.
- Responsible for identifying and addressing industry economic issues in all Ameritech regulatory proceedings involving cost models and studies.

Director, Payphone Regulatory/Economic Analysis, 1992 - 1994

- Responsible for achieving the regulatory objectives of Ameritech's Payphone and Economic Analysis Business Units.
- Responsible for identifying and addressing industry economic issues in all Ameritech regulatory proceedings involving cost models and studies.

Director, Cost Methods, 1991 - 1992

- Responsible for all methods and procedures and mechanized tools and models used in costs studies.
- Supported all Ameritech state service cost organizations.

ILLINOIS BELL, 1970 - 1992

Director, Service Costs, 1991 - 1992

- Responsible for all cost of service studies supporting Illinois Bell pricing and regulatory initiatives.

Director, Cost Methods, 1988 - 1991

- Responsible for cost methods used in Illinois Bell cost studies.
- Illinois Bell representative on Ameritech Cost Team charged with establishing consistent economic standards for regional effort to achieve cost-based pricing.

Manager, Regulatory, 1987 - 1988

- Position was created to support the Regulatory Assistant Vice President on a regional pricing task force and to prepare testimony and supporting economic studies for Illinois Bell's first Alternative Regulation Docket.

Manager, Customer Request for Proposal, 1985 - 1987

- Responsible for determining large customer service requirements and developing cost and pricing information for IBT bids.

Manager, Tariffs and Cost, 1982 - 1985

- Responsible for toll service pricing and costing.
- Participated in developing and implementing the Illinois Primary Toll Carrier deaveraging plan.

Manager, Cost Methods and Mechanization, 1980 - 1982

- Responsible for cost methods and mechanized procedures used in Illinois Bell cost studies.
- Developed software to improve costing programs and replace outside vendors for annual savings of \$400,000.

Assistant Manager, Costs, 1978 - 1980

- Responsible for performing cost studies of private line facilities.
- Extensive involvement in the MCI vs. AT&T antitrust case.

Communications Technician, 1970 - 1978

- Assignments included installation and repairs of data, teletype, microwave, television and central office equipment.

TESTIMONY

Illinois Docket 96-0486: Investigation into forward looking cost studies and rates of Ameritech Illinois for interconnection, network elements, transport and termination of traffic.

Indiana Cause 40603: Investigation of cost studies and rates of Ameritech Indiana for interconnection, network elements, transport and termination of traffic.

Affidavit in Ameritech Michigan's Application to provide InterLata Services: Cost studies and rates for interconnection, network elements, resale, transport and termination of traffic.

AT&T/Ameritech Interconnection Arbitrations in Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin: Cost studies and rates of Ameritech for interconnection, network elements, transport and termination of traffic. Also addressed avoidable cost based resale discounts in Wisconsin and Indiana.

MCI/Ameritech Interconnection Arbitrations in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin: Cost studies and rates of Ameritech for interconnection, network elements, transport and termination of traffic. Also addressed avoidable cost based resale discounts in Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan.

TCG/Ameritech Interconnection Arbitrations in Indiana, Wisconsin and Illinois: Cost studies and rates for transport and termination of traffic.

Illinois Docket 95-0204: The economic basis and the appropriate compensation due payphone providers from interexchange carriers whose customers use payphones to complete calls.

Indiana Cause 39474: Indiana Independent Payphone Association complaint against Ameritech Indiana. Cost basis for interconnection rates charged independent payphone providers.

Illinois Docket 95-0458: The appropriate cost basis for retail vs. resale price differentials.

Illinois Docket 94-0096: Illinois Bell's Customers First proceeding. Testimony addressing the costs of unbundled loop and ports.

Illinois Docket 94-0042: Cost basis for Illinois Bell local transport deaveraging initiative.

Illinois Docket 92-0448: Alternative Regulation Case. Testimony addressing the forward-looking costs of all Illinois Bell services and economic tests for cross-subsidization.

Illinois Docket 90-0466: Costs of Caller ID services.

Illinois Docket 83-0142: The financial impacts of the Primary Toll Carrier Deaveraging plan on the Illinois industry.